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Title of Invention: Method and System to effectuate multiple transaction prices for a commodity

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a (electronic) trading system, or auction, wherein a ~~buyer~~ seller submits the commodity they want to sell to the system along with their desired price and quantity request. A ~~seller~~ buyer then submits a request to the system wherein they identify a commodity they wish to buy, along with the price they are willing to pay and the quantity they want. The system then matches the sellers selling parameters with the buyers buying parameters. The process is then repeated until there are no more matches. All the transactions are then displayed to the traders (buyers + sellers). For more info, see attached abstract + claims.

Thanks,
Sandra

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